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# **SUMMARY OF MEETING**

## **COMMITTEE ON LEGAL SERVICES**

April 23, 2015

The Committee on Legal Services met on Thursday, April 23, 2015, at 8:18 a.m. in HCR 0109. The following members were present:

Senator Scheffel, Chair Senator Roberts Senator Steadman Representative Dore Representative Foote Representative Kagan Representative McCann, Vice-chair (present at 8:20 a.m.) Representative Willett

Senator Scheffel called the meeting to order.

**8:19 a.m.** – Debbie Haskins, Assistant Director, Office of Legislative Legal Services, addressed agenda item 1 – Approval of SB 15-100 by Representatives Foote and McCann; also Senator Steadman – Rule Review Bill.

Ms. Haskins said you are sitting today as the House committee of reference to hear the rule review bill – Senate Bill 15-100 – which you've already heard twice sitting as the Senate committee of reference. We handed out a summary of all of the rules that are in the rule review bill. We were tracking a few bills that affected rule issues relating to the bill, but none of them changed the statutes in any way to justify doing an amendment to the bill, so we don't have any amendments to suggest to you. The bill postpones the expiration of the rules

that were adopted in the last rule review cycle, with the exception of the ones listed specifically in the bill, and those will expire on May 15, 2015. Those are the rules where this Committee found there was a statutory conflict or an agency exceeded or lacked statutory authority.

Representative Foote said I would just say ditto. We've heard this twice and I don't think anything has changed since the second time. It passed unanimously out of the Senate and I hope we can refer it to the House for the same kind of thing.

## 8:21 a.m.

Hearing no further discussion or testimony, Representative Foote moved Senate Bill 15-100 to the House Committee of the Whole with a favorable recommendation. Representative Kagan seconded the motion. The motion passed on a vote of 8-0, with Representative Dore, Representative Foote, Representative Kagan, Senator Roberts, Senator Steadman, Representative Willett, Representative McCann, and Senator Scheffel voting yes.

#### 8:22 a.m.

The Committee adjourned.